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It's \$10.00
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And the price but partly tells the tale. Of a well-known Rochester make, with good linings and trimmings. The material is the popular dark grey worsted. A stylish, serviceable garment; as seasonable in July as January and at the extremely low price: **Ten Dollars.**

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It will pay you to attend our

Anniversary Sale

Tomorrow and Saturday. These sales come but once a year. **SPECIAL PRICES** all over the store. Come in and see.

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Denman-Jenner Co.
WEST CENTER STREET.

The Uhler & Phillips Store

Special Friday Sale Dress Goods

Black Altman Voile in the pretty square mesh, crisp lustrous black. A \$1.50 quality, special for Friday \$1.00.

Yard Wide Black Taffeta Silk, the quality that is now worth \$1.50. The last chance you will ever have to buy the quality at this price. Special for Friday at \$1.00.

Kiota Silks in ecru ground with fancy figures made like Rajah silk, 30 inches wide at 50c.

100 pieces fine batiste in a 12 1-2 quality. Special, Friday at 10c.

UHLER & PHILLIPS

BIG CLOSING-OUT SALE!

Everything in Laces, Embroideries, Linens, Waistings, etc., is being closed out at

One-Fourth Off

We mean business and are just as anxious to give you a bargain as you are to get one. And don't forget

Our Big May Waist Sale

They're going fast. Divided into four lots,
89c, \$1.05 \$1.29 \$1.79

J. P. LUDWIG

PROMINENT LODGEMEN

Of State Attended A new Session.

MOST NOTABLE MEETING

Of its Kind Ever Held in the City of Marion.

Fraternal Order of Eagles Make Arrangements to Give Tent Entertainment—Lodge News.

The annual meeting of Marion Council, Royal and Select Masters, held here, Wednesday, was one of the largest and most notable Masonic assemblages ever held in the city. Everyone of the state organizations was represented, either by local Masons or by visitors. The meeting began at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon and continued until late in the evening.

The representatives of the state organizations present during the afternoon and evening sessions were W. T. S. O'Hara, of Toledo, scribe of the grand lodge of Ohio; Edward S. Archer, of Columbus, most illustrious master of the grand council of Ohio; Edward Morrell, of Columbus, marshal of the grand chapter of Ohio; George D. Copeland, deputy master of the grand lodge of Ohio; George S. McGuire, guard of the grand council of Ohio, and M. B. Dickerson, deputy master of the grand council of Ohio. This was the first instance of where all of the state organizations were ever represented at a local Masonic meeting.

Following the degree work in the afternoon and the work in the evening, speeches were given by those state officers and by John Hopley, the well-known newspaper publisher of Bucyrus. Mr. O'Hara, of Toledo, was here in the capacity of inspector. He witnessed all of the degree work and highly complimented the local council for the manner in which it handles the several degrees.

From 2:30 o'clock until 5:30 o'clock in the afternoon, the royal and select masters' degrees were conferred on eleven candidates. At 6:30 o'clock dinner was served to 170 people, and after that, work in the super-excellent degree was taken up. This degree was conferred on 24 candidates.

Visitors were present from Bucyrus, Upper Sandusky, Gallon, Cardington, Mt. Gilead and Delaware.

Marion, May 15.—The great council of the Independent Order of Red Men of Ohio in annual session here today, selected Dayton as the meeting place for next year. Other towns seeking the meeting were Van Wert, Columbus and Delaware. A committee was appointed to formulate plans for the erection of a home for aged Red Men.

The council by resolution pledged itself to assist the G. A. R. in perpetuating Memorial day exercises. A ball was given tonight and an excursion to Blennerhassett Island will be run tomorrow morning.

The officers elected last December were confirmed today and publicly installed. They are: Edward J. Granger, Piqua, great sachem; A. F. Hutchinson, great senior saganore; S. B. Epler, Toledo, great junior saganore; Thomas J. Irwin, Martins Ferry, great chief of records; J. C. Kerr, Columbus, great keeper of wampum; S. M. Gorham, Mansfield, great prophet; Al Frank, Columbus, great trustee; F. Little, Bradford, Val Rice Chillicothe; H. F. Egan, Adelphi, representatives to Great Council of United States.

At a regular meeting of the Fraternal Order of Eagles last night arrangements were made to give a tent entertainment during the week commencing May 27, on the Aronhalt lot on North Prospect street.

The Minnell Operatic company has been engaged for the week and the lodgemen promise a rare treat in the entertainment line.

The degree team of the Crescent Lodge No. 40, of Pathfinders, left this afternoon at 3:45 o'clock for Kenton, where tonight work will be put on before the Kenton lodge.

The Home Guards met last night and made arrangements to initiate a large class of candidates in the near future.



The Advance club held the final regular meeting of the present year at the home of Mrs. G. E. Frank on East Church Wednesday afternoon. The meeting was well attended and an interesting program was rendered.

Mrs. Freeland read a paper on the subject "Spanish Literature."

"Cordova, the Magnificent" was the theme of a paper read by Mrs. McClain. "Popular Amusements" was the subject of the paper by Mrs. Whitney. Mrs. K. H. Marshall favored those present with a reading entitled "The Portrait." "Picture Writing of the Indians" was the subject of a paper by Mrs. U. K. Guthery while Mrs. Tilton's theme was "Leonardo Da Vinci and his painting Mona Lisa."

During the year just closed the subject for study has been Spain. During the meeting in behalf of the club Mrs. A. J. Whiting presented the president Mrs. Guthery with a beautiful silver fork. Mrs. Guthery leaves in the near future for Yonking where she will make her future home.

An elegant four course supper was served by the hostess at the close of the business session. Then an hour was spent socially. Mrs. Freeland rendered a number of her original poems which were greatly enjoyed. After singing "Home Sweet Home", the members departed for their homes all of the opinion that the club has enjoyed a very profitable year.

Stewart M. Gilmore and Miss Geneva E. Unclinger were united in marriage at seven o'clock last night by Rev. George E. Barnard at the home of the bride's mother on Elm street. The ceremony was witnessed by a small number of the relatives of the young people.

The bride is a charming young woman with a host of friends. The groom is a popular employee of the Erie transfer house.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilmore will reside on Elm street for the present.

Honoring Mrs. A. H. Kling, of this city, Mrs. C. D. Firestone, and Mrs. W. S. Brown, of Columbus, Mrs. W. G. Harding delightfully entertained a company of forty-five ladies yesterday afternoon at her home on Mt. Vernon avenue.

The decorations, sweet peas, were simple and effective. A part of the ladies played bridge and the remainder "500." Mrs. H. B. Hane won first honors at bridge and Mrs. John Schroeter won the honors at "500."

At the conclusion of the season at cards, a buffet luncheon was served, the hostess being assisted by Mrs. William Scofield, Mrs. George Christian, Jr., and Miss Daisy Harding.

A company of Pythian Sisters from Waldo passed Wednesday at the home of Mrs. R. M. Porterfield, two miles west of Marion. The party came to this city on the Pennsylvania railway and was conveyed to the Porterfield home in carriages. The day was passed with rag carpet sewing and at noon hour an excellent country dinner was enjoyed.

The guests were Mrs. Jacob Akron, Mrs. Lucas Kling, Mrs. William Miller, Mrs. William Gabler, Mrs. George Cook, Mrs. John Schroet and Mrs. Melvin Strine, of the Waldo lodge, and Mrs. Frank Campbell, of the Marion lodge.

The Fortnightly Club met yesterday afternoon with Mrs. Walter Oberlin, of East Church street, as hostess. The hours were passed in various social diversions. Miss Rhea Munnell favored those present with several pleasing vocal and instrumental selections. An elegant luncheon was served.

The guests of the club were: Mrs. C. W. Maxwell, Mrs. D. B. Goodsell, Mrs. Ed. Munnell and Miss Rhea Munnell.

Mrs. Joseph Evers, of Breen street, was pleasantly surprised in honor of the anniversary of her birth, Wednesday afternoon. A company of 15 friends called at her home unexpectedly, spending the afternoon and evening. She received a number of fine presents. An excellent dinner was served.

Miss Naomi D. Lauer and Mr. Edward H. Schott were married at 9 o'clock Thursday morning by Rev. C. E. Ruerkle, pastor of the German M. E. church, at his home on South Prospect street. They will reside temporarily with the bride's parents at Prospect, but will soon move to Marion, where the groom is employed as a boiler-maker by the Marion Steam Shovel company.

HIP WAS BROKEN

Mrs. L. E. Starr was Painfully Injured Wednesday.

Mrs. L. E. Starr, of Blaine avenue, who was seriously injured in falling from a street car on East Center street near Sargent, Wednesday afternoon, is resting as well as could be expected, today. Her hip was broken, an injury which will require some time to mend.

Mrs. Starr is unable to remember just how the accident occurred. She had left her seat when the car was slowing down for Sargent street, and had barely reached the rear platform when she fell. It is supposed that she became dizzy and lost her balance. The car was moving at the time of the accident.

PETIT JURY WILL REPORT

May 27 Instead of Date Originally Set.

NELLIE WANTS DIVORCE

Has Provided for Ralph Since Their Marriage.

For Over Five Years Knepper Has Been Looking for a Job That Suited Him.

Claiming that she expended all of her deceased father's estate to support her husband, and in trying to find employment which he would like, Mrs. Nellie J. Knepper Thursday filed suit for divorce against Ralph A. Knepper. She charges that her husband refused to work and that it was necessary for her to provide for him ever since their marriage, July 30, 1902.

Knepper, so his wife relates, has for five years been pretending to seek employment, but has never found a job that suited him. In this fruitless hunt, Mrs. Knepper and her husband moved from place to place, the wife paying all the traveling expenses. They lived in Prospect, when they were married, Findlay, Dayton, Columbus, Cleveland, and Toledo, Ohio, and Warren, Indiana. The estate of Mrs. Knepper's father, all of which she says she has expended, consisted of 70 acres in farm land.

Through her attorneys, Mouser & Quigley, Mrs. Knepper furthermore alleges that her husband has always been irascible and has frequently struck at her. At different times, while she was engaged in her household duties, he got in the habit of throwing books and cooking utensils at her. He was continually fault finding and his bad temper grew worse instead of better. He would remain away from home all night, causing his wife to worry.

Conditions finally became so bad, Mrs. Knepper relates, that she was forced to leave her husband, April 20, 1905, and to go to her mother, with whom she has since resided.

The plaintiff asks for a divorce and for restoration to her maiden name of Nellie J. Moore.

The case of 15-year-old Clara Bein, which was to have been heard and decided by Probate Judge Foster, Wednesday afternoon, was continued in order to give the court time to make further investigation. The judge is undecided whether to send the child to the Girls' Industrial home at Delaware, or to place her in some Marion home. The child is said to possess enough property for her education. She displays intelligence and expresses a desire to get away from her old associations in order to lead a better life.

The Knepper divorce suit, started in the court of common pleas, Thursday, was the first begun since Clerk Klinefelter established the rule that a deposit of \$20 must be made with all divorce petitions in the future. In the past, only a \$10 deposit has been required.

In cases where the plaintiffs claim to be too poor to make the deposit, the law specifies that none can be required. The petition is received gratis.

Judge Young has notified the members of the petit jury that they are not to report until Monday May 27. The jury was to have reported May 20, but it was deferred a week in order that farmers whose names are on the list might not be taken from their places during the present busy season.

Notice to Contractors.

The Ohio Novelty Sign and Electric Co. are prepared to give estimates on all kinds of electric wiring and fixtures. Citizens 1398.

F. M. KIRBY & CO.

Will Open Their Handsome New 5 and 10 Cent Store.

At 129-131 West Center Street, tomorrow, Friday, for inspection, with music by a string orchestra, from 2 to 6 p. m. and everybody is invited to come and see our store at that time. No goods sold on Friday but the store will be open for business on SATURDAY morning at 8 o'clock.

One year ago, this firm bought from the Titus Co., eight stores, the one in this city being one of them. The room formerly occupied by them being too small for their business, they then bought all the stores owned by H. L. Jacobs & Co., with the understanding that at that time a lease could be had for the adjoining room

at 129 West Center street, which they took possession of April 1st. By going to a great deal of expense, they have connected the two rooms at 129 and 131 West Center street, and have put in all new fixtures and now have one of the handsomest stores in the city.

This firm now own and are doing business in 55 towns, as follows: Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Columbus, Ohio, Providence, R. I., Cleveland, Ohio, 60 and 62 Euclid Ave., Pawtucket, R. I., Baltimore, Md., 223-225 W. Lexington St., Dayton, Ohio, Woonsocket, R. I., Pittsfield, Mass., Peoria, Ill., Savannah Ga., Williamsport, Pa., Portsmouth, Pa., New Orleans, La., Louisville, Ky., Zanesville, Ohio, Lexington, Ky., Charleston, S. C., Lynchburg, Va., Paducah, Ky., Hazleton, Pa., Danville, Va., Durham, N. C., Raleigh, N. C., Cleveland, Ohio, 479-481-483 Pearl St., Plaquemine, Ohio, Portsmouth, Ohio, Middletown, N. Y., Streator, Ill., Laramie, Ohio, Elkhart, Ind., Shamokin, Pa., Port Huron, Mich., Baltimore, Md., 525 North Gay St., Mt. Carmel, Pa., Owensboro, Ky., Newark, Ohio, Flint, Mich., Mahoning City, Pa., Geneva, N. Y., Coahocton, Ohio, Beaver Falls, Pa., Punxsutawney, Pa., Dubois, Pa., Oil City, Pa., Warren, Pa., Olean, N. Y., Coahocton, Ohio, New Albany, Ind., Bridgeton, N. J., Ottawa, Ill., Ashtabula, Ohio, Henderson, Ky., Michigan City, Ind., Ann Arbor, Mich.

With the enormous outlet for goods they are in a position to buy at the lowest possible prices in large quantities, and give greater values to the people for their money than can be had elsewhere. With their enlarged rooms here, they have increased their line of goods and are now offering some surprisingly big values. Plenty of salesladies have been engaged to wait on customers promptly and as each department is equipped with a cash register where change will be made quickly it will save the time and patience of waiting.

This store will be under the management of Mr. F. L. Knox, formerly of the Knox-Looker Co., of Columbus, Ohio, while the general office will be represented at the opening by Mr. A. P. Kiefer, district manager.

The new management hope and expect to make this store the popular shopping centre of Marion and vicinity and will be pleased to have everybody visit the store during the opening tomorrow and hear the music.



\$3.50

The Warner & Edwards Store

Egyptian Cambrics
Percalés and
Madrid Cloths
For Shirt Waists and
Summer Dresses

The Linen
Finished
Percalés

Some beautiful patterns are just in. Large square checks, all the neat blocks and dots in both white ground and dark grounds. 36 in. wide 15c

New
Percalés

Double width and fast colors. Plenty of Cardinals, Navies and Shepherd Checks 10c, 12 1-2c and 13c

Madras
Cloths

The best material for Short Waists, it's inexpensive has weight enough to wear well—woven in checks with small printed designs ... 15c

WARNER & EDWARDS

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

Get the Cash Habit

Julia Marlowe

Shoes with the ELASTIC instep require no breaking in, but fit perfectly to the foot from the first.

WE ARE SOLE AGENTS FOR MARION.

NEW YORK STORE

During our Anniversary Sale with each dollar purchase we give you a check good for 13c in Dry Goods Department.

GREATEST REDUCTION ON WOOL DRESS GOODS EVER KNOWN

This is housecleaning time in the dress goods department. We want to clean up every yard of spring dress goods, do not want to carry a single piece over, and therefore have marked every piece at a generous reduction. It is our loss and your gain.

At 19c tomorrow we will give you your choice of 25 pieces of plain and novelty dress goods that sold at 50c. The wholesale cost today is 37 1-2c.

Tomorrow's Price 19c Yard

At 49c we have probably 50 pieces of the handsomest novelty materials you ever saw. Dress goods that sold from 75c to \$1.50, 44 to 54 inches wide.

Choice 49c Yard

Colored Voiles

25 pieces of all wool colored voiles—\$1.50 values—45 inches wide, every shade.

Tomorrow 59c Yard

Black Voiles

10 pieces of fine imported black voiles to close tomorrow at less than cost.

\$1.00 Black Voile, 44 inch at 59c yard
\$1.25 Black Voile, 44 inch at 75c yard
\$1.50 Black Voile, 44 inch at \$1.00 yard
\$2.00 Black Voile, 44 inch at \$1.25 yard

1000 yards of \$1.00 fancy silks, newest spring styles, to close at

49c Yard

\$1.50 Black taffeta silk, oil boiled and guaranteed to give satisfactory wear or money refunded. The only yard wide black silk in Marion at the price.

Special \$1.00 Yard

D. A. Frank & Co.